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6	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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10	GISTARVE RUFFIN, JR.,
11	Petitioner, 3:12-cv-00368-RCJ-VPC
12	vs. ORDER
13	STATE OF NEVADA, et al.,
14	Respondents.
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16	This action is a <i>pro se</i> petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254,
17	by a Nevada state prisoner. Petitioner has submitted a habeas petition and seeks leave to proceed in
18	forma pauperis. (ECF No. 1). In addition to filing the proper affidavit of inability to pay filing fees,
19	a prisoner seeking to proceed in forma pauperis "shall submit a certified copy of the trust fund
20	account statement (or institutional equivalent) for the prisoner for the 6-month period immediately
21	preceding the filing of the complaint obtained from the appropriate official of each prison at
22	which the prisoner is or was confined." 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1), (2). Petitioner in the instant action
23	has failed to submit an in forma pauperis application that provides the necessary financial
24	information and includes a financial certificate signed by an authorized prison or jail officer.
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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that this action is **DISMISSED WITHOUT**PREJUDICE to the filing of a new petition in a new action, with a proper *in forma pauperis* application in compliance with 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a).

IT FURTHER IS ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall send petitioner two copies of an *in forma pauperis* application form for a prisoner, one copy of the instructions for same, two copies of a blank 28 U.S.C. § 2254 habeas corpus form, one copy of instructions for the same, and a copy of the petition (ECF No. 1-1) in this action.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that petitioner may file a new petition and *in forma pauperis* application in a new action, but he may not file further documents in this action.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall enter judgment accordingly.

Dated this 3rd day of August, 2012.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE